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Applicant : Kulbinder K. Banger et al.
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Title : SINGLE-SOURCE PRECURSORS FOR TERNARY CHALCOPYRITE
MATERIALS, AND METHODS OF MAKING AND USING THE
SAME
Docket No. : 35089US1
Customer No. : 000116

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.84(b)(2) TO ACCEPT COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.84, Applicant hereby petitions and requests that the Office accept color photographs in the above-identified case. The \$130 petition fee is included. The conditions for accepting color photographs have been met. Three copies of each color photograph are enclosed, developed on 8½x11-sized paper in compliance with Rule 1.84(e)-(f). Black and white photocopies of the color photographs also are enclosed.

Color photographs are necessary for Figs. 6, 10 and 16 in this case for the following reasons:

Figs. 6 and 10: These figures show SEM micrographs of deposited chalcopyrite thin films which could not be properly visualized if available only in black and white drawings.

Fig. 16: This figure shows vials of quantum dot compounds in solution. Color photographs are necessary to discern the color differences between the vials containing quantum dots of different size.

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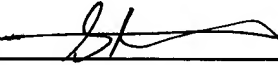
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